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GENERAL AND REVENUE SECRETARIAT.

Serial Nos. 1-95

Part B. for Aug 1909

SUBJECT.

Water Supply to Robertsonpet.

From the Chief Engineer Dr 5808 Dated 31.8.08 - Requests early orders in re the amount payable by the Sandy Bd for water supplied from the Bethamangala

2 To the Chief Engineer Dr 2718 Dated 14.9.09. Requests him to intimate direct to the President what the annual Maintenance Charges of the distribution works would be.

3 To the President Sandy Bd & Dr 2719 Dated 14.9.09. Forwards copy of 1 for submission of detailed report in connection with the 1.

4. G. R. S. 58 From the Chief Engineer, Dr 2093 dated 18.9.08. States that it is now reported that the income of Robertsonpet (water tax) is [illegible] that Rs 200 is [illegible]

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GENERAL AND REVENUE SECRETARIAT

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FILE HEADING.

Water supply to Robertsonpet

From

The Chief Engineer of Mysore.

No. 5808 Dated 31/Aug/08 Received 2.9.08

Diary No. 1588 | Enclos. 1 | Spare Copies. | Serial No. 1

BRIEF ABSTRACT OF LETTER.

Requests that early orders may be passed regarding the amount payable by the Sanitary Board for water supplied from the Betamangala Tank which is operated upon commercial system

NOTES AND ORDERS.

2) In April 1908 the projects amounting to Rs. 14370 and Rs 14500 for the water supply to Robertsonpet and the Cooly Colonies respectively were sanctione

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and the works have been started.

3) For water supplied to the mines from the Betamangala Tank, payment at the rate of 15 annas per 1000 gallons is made by the Mining Board and the Chief Engineer is of opinion that the Sanitary Board should also pay for water in some shape or form.

4) The estimated Consumption of water at Robertsonpet for one day is 62500 gallons, which will cost about Rs 59 per day or a little over 21000 Rs a year which amount is too high for the town.

5) There is a 2nd class rate which is charged in the mofussil towns of the Madras Presidency & it is 8 annas per 1000 gallons. At this rate the cost will be a little over 11000 Rs. which is only about 25% less than what the large city

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of Mysore pays and is out of proportion to the resources of the Sanitary Board.

6. The actual expenditure incurred is 3½ as, a gallon, and at this rate the cost comes up to Rs 5000 a year, which can be reasonably expected to be paid by the Sany Board who has to find funds for the maintenance of the distribution works in addition. What the maintenance cost would be is not known & the Chief Engineer has not stated anything about the project for water supply to the Coolie Colonies.

7. The above letter & its enclosure may be communicated to the President of the Sany Bd for detailed report with the opinion of the Board & the Chief Engineer may be requested to intimate to the President direct what the maintenance charges would

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8. The water cess expected to be levied is reported to have been stated by the President at Rs 200/- which is probably a mistake for Rs 2000/- the figure reported by you in the Presidents letter no 4856-7 d 28th December 1908 DR 230 Drafts submitted for approval or other orders

DS 9 Issue and submit 4/9/08 to the 1st Cr for information

10) 7-9-08. Illegible

2 To the Chief Engineer No 2718 d 14/9 Requests him to intimate direct to the President what the annual maintenance charges of the distribution works would be.

3 11) To the President of the Sanitary Board No 2719 d 14.9.08 Forwards copy of el no 1 for submission of a detailed report in consultation with the Board.

12) Submitted as directed above. Submitted for information

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	Office Subject which is very important and which requires settlement early, and well sweet water is present. Ltr 30 Sept 08.
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W from the Chief Engineer
no Mysore No 2093 d 18.9.08
(D 2093). Referring to his
letter d 31.8.08 anent water
supply to Robertsonpet & states
that it is now reported that
the income of Robertsonpet (Water
tax) is Rs 2000 per annum &
not Rs 200 as reported pre-
viously.

Vs In the Chief Engineer's
letter referred to it was stated
that the Sanitary Board should
pay for water supplied from
the Bethamangala tank wh:
is operated upon on commercial
system. A copy of the letter was
forwarded for report by the
President of the Sany Board.
and the file was after issue
submitted to the First Councillor
for information.

No 2719
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d 14.9.08

Vs Copy of the paper under
disposal may also be forwarded
to the President with a request
that the report already called
for may be expedited.

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	17 Draft submitted
	DS Hoy/9 18 Issue
	23/9/08 24-9-08 Will
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5	To the President Sanitary Board
	U.O.C. No. 3337 d 29/9/08. Forwards
	Copy of the above and requests
	early submission of the report
	already called for.

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20) An application for additional grant of the sum required for lighting the main road of the Kolar Gold Fields with electricity has been received and in the linked file it has been proposed that the Chief Engineer may be requested unofficially to state what amount is required for expenditure on the water supply also. As the question of payment for water (has to be settled early, it is proposed to issue a reminder to the President for early submission of the report already called for

21) Draft submitted

PS 27/10

23/10/08

22) Issue

28.10.08.

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23) To the President of the Sanitary Board No 3982 d 30-10-08 requesting him to send an early reply vide No 3.

P. J. O.

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24) From the President of the Sanitary Board - No. 2917/115 x 7 - 11 - 08 (D 3155). States that the subject will be discussed at the next meeting of the Sanitary Board & that the report called for will be submitted

25) The receipt of the report promised may be awaited

Submitted

NS 14/11/08

26) Yes

16-11-08 WHH

NS 9.161

27) Draft requesting early submission is put up.

Submitted

NS 20/12

28) Issued

29/12/08 29.12.08 WHH

29) To the President of the Sanitary Board - No. 6459 d 11 January Requesting early submission of the report.

8 30) From D - No. 847 d 16 Jany 09 (D 50-89). States that it was in no true intended

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that the Board should pay for water as the water tax expected to be realised has to be utilized on the maintenance charges, nor do they ever contemplate doing so as they can not levy anything more than the water rate, the floating population on the fields not yielding a constant rental to the house owner who is already complaining of the moharfa taxation & that the supply of water is an imperative necessity for the protection of the people from epidemics which exist on the fields in some form or other & for relieving the dearth for drinking water in these dry parts and requests that in the interests of the population arrangements may be made for the supply of water without further loss of time.

(b) What the annual maintenance charges would

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he is not known, but the Board are willing to pay for the same out of the estimated income from water rate

2) The supply of water appears to be an immediate necessity as the Chief Engineer in the linked file — file relating to the abolition of the water carts of the travellers bungalows at the Champion Reefs and Robertsonpet — stated that the health of the population would be seriously affected if water is not given soon

3) In the circumstances it appears that payment for water will have to be waived.

4) Submitted for orders as to whether the Chief Engineer may be consulted in the matter.

D.S.mg
26/4/08

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D.No. 115-08
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35) Forwarded to the Chief Engineer unofficially for favour of opinion

By order
K. Krishnaswamy
27-1-09 For Secy -

U.O. 21 P.M. D - 30/1/09

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36) The questions that require decision of Government are:-

(1) The amount to be paid for by the Sanitary Board for water pumped from the Bethamangala tank for the supply of Robertsonpet and the Cooly colonies

(2) The maintenance charges of the water supply to Robertsonpet and the Cooly colonies

(1) As regards the first point, it may be assumed that the quanity of water required for daily consumption for an assumed population of 5000 is 12½ gallons per head of Robertsonpet = 62,500 gallons a day, which, at 15 annas per 1000 gallons at the same rate as that paid by the Mines, would cost Rs. 21,388 per annum.

The population of the Cooly colonies is assumed to be 17,000 and at the rate of 7½ gallons per head per diem, the quanity required for consumption is 127,500 gallons per day, which, at the rate of 15 annas per 1000 gallons, will amount to Rs. 43,629. The quantity of water which will be required for flushing drains cannot at present be accurately estimated but it may roughly be

assumed

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assumed that 2,200,000 gallons a year will be required=Rs. 2,000 at 15 annas per 1000 gallons. Thus the total revenue which Government would be getting, if it was paid for at rates now obtaining on the Gold Field would amount to about Rs.67,000. The actual cost to Government of charges on account of pumping up the 71,500,000 per year will be approximately Rs. 18,000; exclusive of annual maintenance charges on the Field itself for tools, staff &c; which figure will represent the annual loss to Government in granting water free to Robertsonpet and the Cooly colonies.

The President of the Sanitary Board in his letter No. 847 of the 21st ultimo to Government, has reported that the Board cannot afford to pay for water supplied to these places, and it was never contemplated that they should pay for it ; and all that the Board expect to realize from the levy of a water xxx rate is Rs. 2,000, from which the maintenance and other incidental charges should be met.

I have nothing to say against the suggestion that Government should give the water to Robertsonpet and the Cooly colonies free of charge, if Government wish to do so; but it is certainly necessary that meters should be put on all private house connections, so as to check waste, and that house owners be made to pay for all excess consumption over and above such quantity as will be given free for the water rate fixed by the Board; and for such excess water I would charge a rate of Re 1/- per 1000 gallons.

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(ii) In regard to the maintenance charges (exclusive of pumping and upkeep of the Bethamangala water supply to the Gold Fields, which Government already pay for), the amount required for Robertsonpet is estimated at Rs. 1,110 a year and this includes the necessary staff and the cost of repairs to pipe lines; while the annual maintenance cost of water supply to the Cooly colonies is estimated at Rs.1000 as the Water Inspector appointed for Robertsonpet will also look after the supply to the cooly colonies.

The charges on this account aggregate Rs. 2,110 or perhaps Rs. 2,200, and this exceeds the amount of Rs. 2,000 expected by the Board to be collected from the water rate by Rs. 200.

The President of the Sanitary Board has been asked by this office to intimate the amount which the Board have decided to pay towards the annual cost of maintenance and that of water pumped for daily consumption. On receipt of this information the project for the cooly colonies amounting to Rs. 29,242, already received in this office, will be submitted to Government for sanction.

There is no doubt as to the immediate necessity for the water supply to Robertsonpet &c., but the present low level of water in the Bethamangala tank owing to the failure of the north east monsoon, has to be taken into consideration, and the Board should be asked to report whether, in view of the present scarcity of water, they still think that Robertsonpet and these cooly colonies should be given a supply at once.

W. D. Hutchinson

Chief Engineer of Mysore.

Bangalore 6-2-09.

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The annual loss to Govt in granting water free to Robertsonpet, coolly colonies & for flushing drains is estimated at Rs 18000/- which is the actual cost to Govt of charges on account of pumping the water required. Distributed over the several items the loss on account of supply of water to Robertsonpet will be roughly Rs 5740, that for coolly colonies 11700 & that for flushing drains 560.

38) The project for the supply of water to the coolly colonies is not yet sanctioned and the immediate supply of water to Robertsonpet is urged. The annual loss to Govt by ordering the supply free of charge will be Rs 5740 or Rs 6000/- in round figures. Whether the water now in the tanks will meet the additional demand is doubtful. Submitted for orders.

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with draft

DS mj 39) Issue the draft and
9-2-09 submit the ~~post~~ file
for the consideration of the
question of payment for water
pumped from the Bethunagar
tank for use in Robertsonpet
and the Cooly Colonies -

9.2.09. HMS

9 40) To the President of the Sanit
Board - No 7715 d 11-2-1909
Requests him to state whether
in the circumstances the
Board still consider that
Robertsonpet should be given
a water supply at once.

41) Submitted as directed
DS bm The Chief Engineer
13-2-09 13/2 ~~is of opinion that no~~
~~charge need~~ states that if Govt
is willing to do so, water may
be given free of charge to Robert
sonpet and the Cooly Colonies,
but house-owners should be
made to pay for excess consumption
at one rupee per 1000 gallons.
18 Cr) 13.2.09. HMS

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42)	I think that the Sanitary Board ought to pay (& can afford to pay) the actual out of pocket expenses of Govt in this matter. WWS 27-2-09
43)	Submitted Dewan) 27.2.09 WWS
44)	27-2-09 (1211 8) 27/2/09
45)	Please put up draft. 9.3.09. WWS
46)	Draft submitted. TVsmg 14/3/09
47)	Issue 15.3.09 WWS
48)	To The Chief Engineer Mysore, The President Sanitary Board Bg & the Comptroller Mysore Govt No. 8979-81 dt 16.3.09. States that Govt Consider that the Sanitary Board ought to pay the Actual ~~Costs~~ out of pocket expenses of Government ~~expenses~~ in this matter.

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11	49) From the President Sanitary Board Kolar Gold Fields No. 1113 Dt 17.3.09 In reply to Sl:9 Submits a copy of the resolution of the Board passed on the Subject at their meeting on 26.2.09 and states that for reasons already stated set forth in his letter No:847 Dt 16.1.09 (Sl:8) water should be provided to Robertsonpet as early as possible but that under the circumstance it may for the time being be turned on only for 2 hours in the morning & 2 hours in the evening thus avoiding undue wastage and requests early orders in the matter. 50) The above is a reply from the President to Sl:9 and forms which is an enquiry made in accordance with the last para of the Chief Engineer's unofficial Note dated 30.1.09. It may this letter be sent

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	To the Chief Engineer for information please & favor of remarks if any
	51 Yes Please put up draft
	21.3.09. JMW
	20/3 52 Draft put up.
	53 Issue
	23/3/09 24.3.09. JMW
12	54 To the Chief Engineer in Mysore No 9489 d 31-3-09 forwards copy of Sl no 11 for favor of remarks.
13	55 from do — No 2733 d 7.4.09 (D 7149) States that as the Board have consented to lower the charges of water supply that the supply asked for may be given for the present for 2 hours in the morning & 2 hours in the evening until the Bellamangala tank is replenished.
14	56 from the President of the Sanitary Board — No 1229 d 6/7 April 1908 States that the Board are willing to pay the cost of pumping

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the water required for supply to Robertsonpet & Kunthe present the idea of supplying water to the Coolly Colonies will be given up.

57 In para 37 supra the actual cost of pumping water required for supply to Robertsonpet was roughly estimated at Rs 5740/- while the Board's estimate of the same is Rs 5000/-. This the Board are willing to pay as also the maintenance charge of Rs 1100. The annual recurring charge will thus be Rs 6100 or may vary from Rs 6000 to Rs 7000/- towards which the Board expect an income of Rs 2000 from water tax.

58 The financial condition of the Sanitary Board of the Kolar Gold Fields is noted below:—

Est'd opening balance according to the draft budget for 09-10 } Rs 15000.

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	Rs 15000
	Estimated receipts 73800
	Total 88800
	" Expenditure 72170
	16,630
	Deduct the recurring charge of Rs 1200/- L.a to the Health officer 1200
	*15,430
	59 By sanctioning the present recommendation the balance will be reduced to about Rs 8500.
	60 Submitted for orders Disg with copy of budget for 08-9 12/4/09
	61 The charge is inevitable and must be incurred.
	62 Forwarded to Br II for favour of opinion as this is a permanent recurring charge 14.4.09.
	for Dir 14/4
H. bus. No 846	Submitted
N 15/4	63 From the financial condition of the municipality noted above, it does not appear that the Board is in a condition to bear the permanent

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about 6000 Rs by year for water
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64) The necessity for the early supply of water is admitted and is urged to be urgent. The Supply should therefore be authorised. The annual recurring expenditure is expected not to exceed Rs 7000 + of this Rs 2000 are expected to be met from the Special Water Cess proposed to be levied. The balance of about Rs 5000 has to be met from the general resources of the Board. The latter has now only a small balance + has also a standard of expenditure almost equal to its normal income. In such circumstances further permanent annual expenditure Cannot be sanctioned unless there is a corresponding reduction the annual expenditure. The Estimates under "C" Civil Charges do not admit of reduction nor provision required annually under ii. iii.

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under "B" Public Works. The
reduction now req^d. has therefore
to be effected under "B" Original
Works. ~~Estim~~ Expenditure under
this head shd. in future be
reduced by about Rs 5000,
from its present level, if
the water Supply shd. be
arranged for immediately.
And until there is a material
improvement in their resources
the B^d Can not undertake
original works costing the
large amounts they are now
expending. The question is
simply one of the relative
urgency of the items of
expenditure. If the water
Supply is urgent the
B^d Revenue expenditure
on original works must
be reduced. The B^d Can
not have ~~both the~~ water
Supply & also spend on
original works the amounts
they are now spending under
"B" I. It is presumed

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the usual charge for the Consumptive work will be recovered & credited as the revenue of the PW Dept.

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10 S 21/4 To Brir) 16/4/09

65 Submitted for orders with draft
DSong 66 Draft submitted for
17/4/09 approval.
18 Cr) 19.4.09 Dlll
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may be approved. I presume that the distribution pipes have been already laid and the work completed. I have struck out the last para re Coorg Colonies as the Board do not ask for water supply to these Colonies, being apparently deterred by financial considerations.

WWL
21/4/09.

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Dlll
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367 23.4.09 Draft approved with a slight alteration - Dlll 25 Brir) 16/4/09 seen
9.4.09 Dlll

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To the President of the Sanitary Board Kilpauk
Comptroller, Chingleput Comptroller P.W. & Ry
Br, Sanction No. 10850-48 1-5-08
authorising the supply of water
to Robertsonpet as recommended —

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Mysore Public Works Department.

Central Office,

Dated Bangalore 31st August 1908.

From,

The Chief Engineer of Mysore,

B A N G A L O R E.

To,

K.S.Chandrasekara Iyer Esquire,B.A.,

Secretary to the Government

of His Highness the Maharaja of Mysore,

General and Revenue Departments,

B A N G A L O R E.

Sir,

Adverting to Government Proceedings No. 11069-73/L.B. 104-06 dated the 30th April 1908, sanctioning projects amount-ing to Rs. 14,370 and 14,500 for the water supply to Roberts-pet and Cooly colonies respectively, I have the honor to inform you that the Executive Engineer, water Supply and Stores Division was asked to ascertain from the Kolar Gold Fields Sanitary Board, at what rate they would pay for the water supplied to Robertsonpet and to the cooly colonoies and how much the amount proposed to be paid by the Board would work out for 1000 gallons. The President of the Sanitary Board reports that the water cess to be imposed will not amount to more than Rs. 200 . I forward the enclosed copy of letter No. 431 dated the 22nd instant from the Executive Engineer, water Supply and Stores Division, reporting in deta on the subject of the cost of pumping the required supply; an it will be see-n therefrom that the amount of Rs. 200 referre to by the Board will not be sufficient even for the annual maintenance of the Distribution works. Strictly speaking, the Sanitary Board should pay 15 annas per 1000 gallons as

is being done by the Mining Companies on the Gold Field.

II. I therefore request that you will be so good as to obtain the early orders of Government regarding the amount payable by the Sanitary Board for the water supplied from the Betharamcala Tank which is operated upon on commercial system. There is absolutely no doubt that the Sanitary Board should pay for this in some shape or form.

I have the honor to be,

Sir,

Your most obedient servant,

Captain R.E.,

For Chief Engineer of Mysore

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Letter No. 431 dated 22/24th August 1908, from the Executive Engineer, Water Supply & Stores Division, to the Chief Engineer of Mysore, Bangalore.

Second para of Chief Engineer's No. 3761 dated 5-6-1908, requesting to obtain the opinion of the Sanitary Board on the question of the Boards paying for the supply of water from the Betamangala t ank &c,

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In reply to the above, I have the honor to forward copy of reply from the President, Sanitary Baord on the matter and to specially draw the kind attention of the Chief Engineer to the last para of thePresident's letter which states that the water cess when levied would not amount to more than Rs. 200/-. This amount is so small that I cannot make myself believe its correctness. The President has been requested to scrutinise this figure again.

The project for Robertsonpet provides for a population of 10,000 which includes that of Oorgaum village. We may take the population of Robertsonpet proper to be 5,000 at present. Allowing a supply of 12½ gallons per head per diem, the daily supply will come to 62,500 gallons. This quantity at the rate of 15 annas per 1,000 gallons at which the Mines are paying, will cost about Rs. 59/- per day and Rs. 1,760/- per month and a little over Rs. 21,000/- per year. This amount is indeed too high for the town.

The usual rate charged in all moffusil towns in Madras presidency is about 8 annas per 1,000 gallons. At this rate the cost per daycome to Rs. 31•25 and per month Rs. 937½/- or say Rs. 1,000/-in round figures. This means the annual cost is Rs. 12,000/- which amount is only 25% less than such a large city as Mysore pays for its water supply. It is therefore plain that it is out of all pro-

proportion

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proportion to the resources of the Sanitary Board.

From the letter of the President, Sanitary Board it is clear that it is hopeless to levy a water cess which can fetch anything near this amount . In such a case I think the Government has to rest satisfied with a nominal rate not less than the actual expenditure incurred.

The total cost of maintenanace of Betamangala water works for the year 1907-1908 was Rs. 87,318/-. The total quantity pumped in gallons is 410,000,000. This gives a rate of nearly 3½ annas per 1,000 gallons. At this rate the cost per day for water supply to Robertsonpe will come to Rs. 13¾/- or Rs. 5,000/- per year. It is reasonable to expect that the San itary Board will find means to pay the actual cost at this rate.

In addition to this, the Board will have to find funds for the maintenance of the Distribution Works. As observed by the Chief Engineer when the works are completed they will have to be taken charge of by the Sanitary Board and maintained by themselves.

The sum of Rs. 200/-, more than which the president does not hope to realise by levying a water cess at 4% on the rental value, will not suffice even for annual maintenance.

" True Copy "

J Bernard Dann

Captain R.E.,
Deputy Chief Engineer of Mysore.

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Diary No. of letter replied to 1588

No. 2718
LB 8708-
9/14-9-08

General and Rev. Secretariat
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To
The Chief Engineer
in Mysore

Date of issue 14.9.08

Signed by [illegible]

His letter No 5808
d 31st August 1908
in re: amount payable by the Sanitary Board for water supplied from the Bethamangala tank

With reference to the above has the honor to request the Chief Engineer to be good enough to

over.

SUBJECT.

Requests the Chief Engineer to state what the annual charges of maintaining the distribution works would come to.

intimate direction
the President of the
Sanitary Board, if
who has been addressed
on the subject, with
the annual maintenance
charges of the distribution
Wages, which the
Board has to pay in
addition, would be

By Order

[illegible]
Secretary
[illegible]

[illegible]

Copied by [illegible]

Examined by

G.R.S. 26]

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Diary No. of letter replied to 1588

No. 2719
LB 87-08-
3 14-9-08

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To
The President of
the Sanp Board
Vlg 7

ate of issue 14.9.08

Signed by

Letter no 5808
d 3rd Aug: 08 and
do enclosure from
the Chief Engineer in
Mysore

Copies of the
above are forwarded
to the President of
the San. Board Vlg 7
for submission of
a detailed report
in consultation with

over.

SUBJECT.

Calls upon the President of the Sanp Bd to submit a detailed report in re: the water supply [illegible] & the Coorg Colonies.

the Town Board.

The Chief Engineer has been requested to communicate to the President direct what the annual maintenance charges of the distribution banks would be.

The attention of the President is invited to his letter No. 4785-7/230 dated 28th December 1906 wherein it was stated that the very low water cess (annual) expected at Rs 2000 a year and he is requested to explain why a sum of only Rs 200/- is now expected from that source and whether it is not a misprint. The Chief

at 4 per cent on the rental value of buildings at Robertsonpet

List of enclosures,

Signed by

Examined by

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Secretary
24/9/08

MGCHE—200 8-1-12-44

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No. 6206

Mysore Public Works Department,
Central Office,
Dated Bangalore, 18th September 1908.

From,

The Chief Engineer of Mysore,
BANGALORE.

To,

K.S.Chandrasekara Iyer Esquire,B.A.,B.L.,
Secretary to the Government
His Highness the Maharaja of Mysore
General and Revenue Departments
BANGALORE.

Sir,

With reference to this office letter No. 5808 dated the 31st ultimo, anent water supply to Robertsonpet and to the Cooly Colonies , I have the honor to inform you that it is now reported by the Executive Engineer, Water Supply and Stores Division, that the income of the Municipality of Robertsonpet is Rs. 2,000/- per annum and not Rs. 200/- as reported previously.

I have the honor to be,
Sir,
Your most obedient servant

For Deputy Chief Engineer
of Mysore.

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File No. 08

Serial No. 5

Diary No. of letter replied to 2093

No. 3337
LB 8708

General and Revenue Secretariat
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To The President of the Sanitary Board
Kyk

29.9.08.

Date of issue 29.9.08

Signed by W.K.M.

Letter No. 6206 d 18th September 1908 from the Chief Engineer in Mysore

Copy of the above is forwarded to the for information & for expediting the submission of the report already called for in this office docket No.

over.

SUBJECT.

Requests early report of the President Sanitary Board re water supply to Cooly Colonies

2719

CS 87-08)-3

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List of enclosures.

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Serial No

Diary No. of letter replied to 1588

No. 3982
LB87-08-6
30.10.08

General and Rev. Secretariat
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To
The President
of the Sanitary
Board Kgt.

Date of issue 30.10.08

Signed by DuKM

This office doeket
no. 2719
dated
LB87-08-3
14th Sept 1908 requesting
early submission of
a report regarding
Watersupply to Robertson.
Piet & the Cody Colonies

Has the honor
to invite attention to
the above and to
request the favor

over.

SUBJECT.

an early submission
of the report thereon
called for.

By Order,

Secretary

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I. Enclosures,

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From

The President,
Sanitary Board, Kolarfold.

To

The Secretary to Government,
General & Revenue Depts.

Dated 7th Nov: 1908

Despatched

Received

General No. 2917

No. 115

Enclosure No.

Stating that the report-
ment Water Supply to
Robertsonpet & the Coolie
Colonies will be submitted
after the subject has
been discussed at the
meeting of the Board.

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No. 2917
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Office of the President,
Sanitary Board, Kolar Gold Fields,
Dated 7th November 1908.

From

C. Srikantiswara Aiyar Esqr. B.A. B.L.,
President, Sanitary Board, Kolar Gold Fields.

To

K. S. Chandrasekhara Aiyar Esqr. B.A. B.L.
Secretary to the Govt. of H.H.
the Maharaja of Mysore,
General & Revenue Depts.

Sir,

With reference to your Office No. 3982/KB 87-08-6 dated the 30th ultimo, requesting early submission of the report called for in your Office Memo No. 2719/KB 87-08-3 dated the 14th September 1908, anent Water Supply to Robertsonpet & the Cooly Colonies, I have the honor to state that the subject has to be discussed by the Board at its next meeting, when the report called for will be submitted.

I have the honor to be,
Sir,
Your most obedient Servant

J. Shamanna
for President.

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Sanitary Board Office,
Kolar Gold Fields.
Dated Champion Reefs, the 16th Jan. '09

From

C. Srikantesvara Aiyar Esquire, B.A., B.L.,
President, Sanitary Board. Kolar Gold Fie[illegible].

To

K.S.Chandrasekhara Aiyar Esquire, B.A., B.L.,
Secretary to the Government of His Highne[illegible]
the Maharaja of Mysore, General & Revenue Depts.

Sir,

With reference to your memo No.2719/L.B.87-08-3 dated th 14th September 1908, forwarding copy of letter No.5808 dated 31st August '08, from the Chief Engineer, anent Water Supply to Robertsonpet and the Cooly Colonies, stating that the Board should pay for water at 15 annas per gallon, as the Bethamangala Tank Water Supply is worked on a commercial basis, I have the honour to invite reference to letter No.321 dated 20th October 1905 from my predecessor, Mr.K.P.Puttanna Chetty, and also to my letter No.4856/230 dated the 28th December 1906, copies whereof are herein enclosed for ready reference, wherefrom it will be seen that at the time the Board contemplated levying a small water rate of 4%, it was to recoup the loan that they thought of raising from Government, to meet the cost of laying pipes &c. to Robertsonpet and the Cooly Colonies which idea they recently gave up at the suggestion of Government-Vide Pro.No.11697-73/L.B.104-06-07 dated the 30th April 1908. In none of these letters, is it said that the small sum of Rs.2,000/- the Board could with difficulty raise at Robertsonpet under the special circumstances therein mentioned, would be available to pay for water, but for the expenses of the Water Supply thereto and to the Cooly Colonies. It was at no time intended that the Board should contribute towards the cost of water, nor do they ever contemplate doing so, they having already been put to the large expenditure of Rs.30,000/- for the laying of pipes &c. to

insanitary and highly congested as before. Even now the want of water has rendered the Town insanitary and dangerous owing to the inadequate flushing of drains, and the large sum of Rs.14,000/- spent on the Sewage Scheme has so far been wasted, in spite of th expenditure of Rs.14,370/- already incurred in laying pipes for Water Supply.

The Board therefore respectfully urge that water may be ordered to be supplied to Robertsonpet, without further loss of time

A copy of the Board's resolution on the subject is herein enclosed for the information of Government.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

your most obedient servant,

President,

Sanitary Board, Kolar Gold Fields

No. 321

Sanitary Board Office,
Kolar Gold Fields.

Dated Champion Reefs, the 20th October 1905.

From,

K.P.Puttanna Chetty, Esquire,
President, Sanitary Board,
Kolar Gold Fields.

TO,

B.K. Venkatavarada Iyengar, Esquire,
Secretary to the Government of H.H.the Maharaja
of Mysore, General and Revenue Departments.

Sir,

With reference to your letter No.3641 dated the 2nd instant, I have the honor to state that my letter No.186 of the 16th September seems to furnish all possible information on the points alluded to, in the Chief Engineer's letter No.884-5293 dated 11th August 1905, with the exception of the rules to be introduced which can be considered when it is known whether the connection asked for is to be made.

2. As regard the additional points raised in ypur letter under reply I have to report (1) that the Betamangla tank is about one third full, (2) that the water rate of 3% proposed would come to about Rs 1,500/- per annum, (3) that as there are other more urgent and important works such as the extention of the Beef Market, erection of the New slaughter house Stevens Camp, construction of drains and Main Sewer Robertsonpet, for which reappropriations will be necessary and which it is anticipated will reduce the balance to the lowest limit compatible with Govt. Regulations, the Board is not in a position to bear the initial cost of the water supply to Robertsonpet. If however the Government will bear the cost, the Board will in 8 or 9 years repay the amount in annual instalments of Rs 1,500/- raised by means of the proposed water rate at 4% per annum if necessary.

(Signed) R.B.Plumer,

For President, Sanitary Board,
Kolar Gold Fields.

"C O P Y."

President, Sanitary Board.

Office of the
Deputy Commissioner& President Sanitary
Board, Kolar Gold Fields.
Dated Champion Reefs, the 28th December 1906.

No. 4856/230

From,

C.Srikantesvara Aiyar, Esquire, B.A., B.L.,
President, Sanitary Board, Kolar Gold Fields.

TO,

K.S.Chandrasekhara Aiyar, Esquire, B.A.,B.L.,
Secretary to the Government of H.H. the Maharaja
of Mysore, General & Revenue Departments.

Sir,

Adverting to Govt.Pro.No.7489-90/L.B.(175-05)-4,dated the 1st January 1906, observing that the subject of advancing a loan amounting to Rs 14,370/- to the Sanitary Board,Kolar Gold Fields, for introducing the Betamangla water to the Town of Robertsonpet, can only be considered in July 1906, according to the Chief Engineer's forecast of water supply to the Betamangla tank, I have the honor to report that the Reservoir which was almost empty in the month of July 1906, received plenty of water in the heavy rains of August and September 1906 and has since been surplusing its weirs. When in the month of October'06 the safety of the upper Mudavadi tank and Parjenahalli tank in the same had been threatened by the heavy rains, the water in the reservoir had to be let out to a certain depth through the flood gates in view to avert any sudden and unexpected disaster similar to that of November'03 when the tank was wrecked by the floods overtopping the bund. Since the cessation of the heavy rains, the flood gates have been closed with the result that the tank has soon filled and there is no more dearth of water.

2. The difficulty of procuring a pure and wholesome supply of drinking water at Robertsonpet, which has sprung up to a marvellous little Town in comparatively a short period, and other localities on the Gold Fields, has been long and keenly felt by all alike- the local residents population, those engaged in industrial and commercial enterprises and by those connected with several Government and private institutions.

Hitherto the supply from the reservoir was limited to the Mining Companies and withheld from the said localities, as the tank after its restoration had not filled owing to the drought that followed the restoration. Now that the reservoir as well as the Holali tank above it, which is also conserved for the same purpose of supplying water to the entire Gold Fields, are now quite full and there is no longer any fear of scanty supply therefrom, it is high time that the laying in of pipes for the supply to all the localities referred to above were undertaken as early as practicable.

3. The Kolar Gold Fields including the rising town of Robertsonpet is no doubt a centre of industrial and commercial activity, but taking the class of floating population into consideration, it is not possible to levy anything more than a small water rate of, say 4% per annum on the rental value of the buildings at Robertsonpet, which would just come to about Rs 2,000/- which can be spared for the expenses of the water supply thereto and to the several Cooly Colonies which pay to Government a ground rent.

4. There have of late been several cases of Cholera in these Cooly Colonies threatening to discount the contemplated benefits of the Betamangla water supply that has been got up at such enormous cost. There are also numbers of applications from the owners of big charitable and other private institutions for pure water supply, besides the pressing demand of the Police and various other Government institutions- dispersed in several directions - whose difficulty for securing an adequate supply of wholesome water can rather be imagined than expressed.

5. The gravity of the situation was pointedly brought forward by the Mining Board to the notice of the Dewan, when he last visited the Fields, and it was urged that unless the whole of the Cooly Colonies were supplied with Betamangla water, it would be impossible to avert the serious visitations of epidemics.

Under these circumstances, I solicit the favor of your obtaining the early orders of Government to push on with the laying in of

of pipes as early as possible before the next hot weather sets in.

I have the honor to be,

Sir,

Your most obedient servant.

(Signed) M. Hassn Ali,
For Dy. Commissioner&President

"C O P Y."

D. F. Rooms

President, Sanitary Board,
Kolar Gold Fields.

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Resolution 9. Read correspondence ending with docket No.2719/L.B.&-08-3, dated the 14th September 1908, anent the Robertsonpet Water Supply Project.

Resolved that the Board are willing to pay for the actual cost of pumping and maintenance charges but that they are unable to pay for the water. It is earnestly hoped that Government will see their way to have the water turned on soon, as the new Drainage Scheme of Robertsonpet has started working and the absence of water to flush the drains is causing much annoyance to the public and is feared may lead to outbreak of epidemics

Signed/- C.Srikantesvara Aiyar,
President, Sanitary Board.

"C O P Y."

President, Sanitary Board,
Kolar Gold Fields.

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File No. 2387/08

Serial No. 9

Diary No. of letter replied to 5089

No. 7715 / GD. 87-1-08

2 11/2/09

General and Revenue Secretariat

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To The President of the Sanitary Board Kegalle

Date of issue

Signed by

His letter no. 847 dated 21st January 1909 requesting that early arrangements may be made for the supply of water to Rotherhampet

I am directed to refer to the above and to request the President to be so good as to state whether the Consideration

over.

SUBJECT

the present iron level of water in the Bethamangala tank owing to the failure of the north east monsoon and the present scarcity of water the Board are of opinion that Robertsonpet & ~~Marcoly Colonies~~ should be given a supply at once

By Order

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for Secretary

9/12/09

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List of enclosures

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Examined by

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File No. 08

Serial No. 10.

Diary No. of letter replied to 5089

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GENERAL AND REVENUE SECRETARIAT.

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issue 16.3.09.

by Mr K.M.

READ— Correspondence ending with letter no 6206 dated 18th September 1908 from the Chief Engineer of Mysore requesting that early orders may be passed regarding the amount payable by the Sanitary Board for water supplied from the Betamangala tank for consumption at

over

~~ORDER THEREON. No.~~

SUBJECT

Enclosure + the Civil
Colonies. It is the earnest
desire based upon the
commercial system
of Correspondence
existing with India
& Colonies dated 16th January
1909 from Chief Resident
& the Railway Board
that Divisional Cashiers
may pay all monies
to Contractors towards
the cost of water as
they have already
been paid & not
large amounts to be drawn
by the Layout &
pipes &c.

Order number No 59119 81 - dt 16.3.09
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The Divl
Engineer is requested
that the Consumption

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may roughly be estimated at 7 1/2 5,00,000 gallons of water per year, the actual cost to Govt of charges on account of pumping it being ~~recorded~~ approximately Rs 18000/- exclusive of annual maintenance charges which the Board have already agreed to pay. This amount represents the annual loss to Govt in granting water free

On a careful consideration of all the circumstances of the case, Government consider that the Sanitary Board ought to pay the actual out of pocket expenses of Govt in this matter. ~~The Board accordingly are directed~~

For Secretary

To, The Chief Engineer of Mysore
2 " President of the San

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Sanitary Board Office,
Kolar Gold Fields,
Dated Champion Reefs, the

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From

C.Srikantesvara Aiyar, Esquire, B.A., B.L.,
President, Sanitary Board, Kolar Gold Fields.

TO,

C,S,Balasundaram Aiyar, Esquire, B.A.,
Offg. Secretary to the Government of His Highness
the Maharaja of Mysore, General and Rev. Depts.

Sir,

Adverting to your docket No.7715/L.B.87-08. dated the 11th February '09, requesting to be informed whether, taking into consideration the present low level of water in the Bethamangla Tank, owing to the failure of the North-east monsoon and the present scarcity of water, the Board still think that Robertsonpet should be given a supply of water at once, I have the honor to submit herewith a copy of the resolution of the Board passed on the subject at their meeting held on the 26th last, and to state that for reasons already set forth in my previous letter No.847 dated the 16th January 1909, water should be provided to Robertsonpet as early as possible, but that under the circumstanees it may for the time being, be turned on only for two hours in the morning and two hours in the evening, thus avoiding undue wastage

Owing to the present bad season, there is very great scarcity of water at Robertsonpet and the drains also require water urgently for flushing purposes, and I have therefore to request that early orders of Government may be obtained in the matter, lest epidemics break out and bring more trouble on us.

I have the honor to be,
Sir,
Your most obedient servant

For President, San. Board.

Proceedings of an ordinary meeting of the Sanitary Board, Kolar Gold Fields, held on Friday the 26th Feb'09.

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Resolution 6. Read docket No.7715/L.B.87-08 dated the 11th February 1909, from the Secretary General and Revenue Departments, requesting to intimate him, whether taking into consideration the present low level of water in the Bethamangla Tank, owing to the failure of the North-east monsoon and the present scarcity of water, the Board still think that Robertsonpet should be given a water supply, at once.

Resolved that the Board are of opinion that it is peremtorily necessary to supply water to Robertsonpet from the point of view of Public Health and the flushing out of the newly constructed drains, water being laid in for two hours in the morning and two hours in the evening, and that unless this is done it is feared that an epidemic of Cholera, small-pox and other diseases may break out at any moment.

Signed/C.Srikantesvara Aiyar.
President, San.Board, K.G.F.

" E X T R A C T "

For President, Sanitary Board,
Kolar Gold Fields.

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Serial No. 12

Diary No. of letter replied to 0505

No. 9489
L0387-08
31.3.09

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Date of issue 31.3.09.

Signed by Mark M.

To

The Chief Engineer
in Mysore

Has the honor to forward herewith for favor of remarks, if any, copy of letter together with its enclosure received from the President of the Sanitary Board Kgf requesting early sanction to the supply of water to Robertsonpet.

By Order

For Secretary

23/3/09

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over.

SUBJECT.

No. 2733 12

MYSORE P. W. DEPARTMENT.
CENTRAL OFFICE,
Bangalore, 7th April *190* 9

From

W McHUTCHIN, ESQ., M.I.C.E.,
Chief Engineer of Mysore,
Bangalore.

To

K.S.Chandrasekara Iyer Esquire, B.A.,B.L.,
Secretary to the Government of
His Highness the Maharaja of Mysore,
General & Revenue Departments.

SIR,

With reference to your No.9489/L.B.87-08-12 dated the 31st ultimo, forwarding for remarks copy of letter No.1113 dated 17th ultimo, (together with its enclosure) received ~~xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx~~ from the President of the Sanitary Board, Kolar Gold Fields, requesting early sanction to the supply of water to Robertsonpet, I have the honor to inform you that as the Sanitary Board have consented to pay the annual maintenance charges of Rs. 1,110; and as Goverment have also ordered that the pumping charges should be borne by the Sanitary Board, the water supply asked for may be given for the present if ordered, for 2 hours in the morning and 2 hours in the evening until the Bethamangala tank is replenished

I have the honor to be,
Sir
Your most obedient servant,

Chief Engineer of Mysore.

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Sanitary Board Office,
Kolar Gold Fields.
Dated Champion Reefs, the 6th April 1909

From,

C.Srikantesvara Aiyar, Esquire, B.A., B.L.,
President, Sanitary Board, Kolar Gold Fields.

TO

K.S.Chandrasekhara Aiyar, Esquire, B.A., B.L.,
Secretary to the Government of His Highness the
Maharaja of Mysore, General and Rev. Depts.

Sir,

Adverting to Govt.Pro.No.8979-81/L.B.87-08-10 dated the 16th March 1909 directing the [illegible] incurred by Government on account of pumping and maintenance charges towards the water supply to Robertsonpet and Cooly Colonies ought to be paid by the Sanitary Board, I have the honour to submit herewith a copy of the Board's resolution passed at their meeting held on the 13th November last from which it is observed that the Board are willing to pay for the actual cost of pumping and maintenance charges towards the Robertsonpet water supply.

From the copy of letter No.431 dated the 24th August 1908 from the Executive Engineer, Water Supply and Stores Division to the Chief Engineer of Mysore, fofwarded to me with your Office memo No.2719 L.B.87-08-3 dated the 14th Septr'08, it is seen that the cost per day for water supply to Robertsonpet will come to Rs 13¾ or about Rs 5000/- per year, taking the population of Robertsonpet to be about 5000 at the rate of 3½ annas per 1,000 gallons.

As regard the annual maintenance charges which amount to Rs 1,110, the Board in their meeting held on the 15th Jan'09 have resolved to bear this cost (Vide Copy of the resolution enclosed herein).

The idea of supplying water to the Cooly Colonies will be given up for the present owing to want of funds and insufficient supply of water in the Betamangla Tank.

Under these circumstances, it is requested that water may be supplied to Robertsonpet, as soon as practicable

I have the honor to be
Sir,
our most obedient servant

for President.

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Resolution 9. Read correspondence ending with docket No. 2719/ L.B.87-08-3 dated the 14th Sept 1908 anent the Robertsonpet Water Supply project.

Resolved that the Board willing to pay for the actual cost of pumping and maintenance charges, but that they are unable to pay for the water.

It is earnestly hoped that Government will see their way to have the water turned on soon, and the New Drainage Scheme of Robertsonpet has started working and the absence of water to flush the drains is causing much annoyance to the public and is feared may lead to outbreak of epidemics.

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Signed/ C.Srikantesvara Aiyar.
President, Sany.Board.

" E X T R A C T ".

For P r e s i d e n t

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Diary No. of letter replied to 7116

Proceedings of the Government of His Highness the Maharaja of Mysore.

GENERAL AND REVENUE SECRETARIAT.

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Date of issue 1.5.09

Signed by Mr KSM.

READ— Correspondence ending with letter no 1229 dated 7th April 1909 from the President of the Sanitary Board

ORDER THEREON — No. Kolar Gold Fields stating with reference to your order no 8979-81 LOB 87-08)-10 dated 16th March 1909, that the Sanitary Board are willing

SUBJECT

to pay the annual
rate of rupees one hundred
& fifty annual hire
rent at Rs 150:00 a year,
for pumping water from the Bethamangala Tank
required for consumption
at Robertsonpet and
requesting early sanction as water scarcity is on grounds of public health
very much felt on the outbreak of
epidemic, is forwarded
2) Letter No 1033
dated 4th April
1909 from the Civil
Engineer & Chairman
recommending the
the water facility asked
for may be given
for the present for
2 hours in the morning
and 2 hours in the
evening until the
Bethamangala Tank
is replenished.

Order thereon No 10850-H
dt 11 20387-08- 9.5.09.

In the

circumstances represented Government are pleased to authorize the supply of water to Robertsonpet as recommended and the President is requested to submit proposals for the levy of water cess.

2. It is observed that the annual recurring expenditure on this scheme is expected not to exceed Rs 7000/- of ~~which~~ a sum of Rs. 2000/- are expected to be met from the special water cess proposed to be levied. The balance of Rs5000 has to be found from the general ~~resources~~ revenues of the Board, which has now only a small balance but a sizeable ~~of~~ portion of expenditure ~~which~~ especially ~~is~~ the normal income. In such circumstances there should be a corresponding reduction in the annual

It is necessary before

expenditure to ~~make any~~ the necessary extent -
permanent recurring that present
expenditure. If the demands can be met
estimates under Civil charges do not exceed ~~the~~ the present
~~of Education~~, the provision revenue, the
under B I requirements Board will be relieved
works should for the year to the extent of
by about Rs 5 000 ~~less~~ till the income
the present level with of the Board
there is material improve- shows permanent
ment in the resources ~~Considerable and~~ permanent
of the Board, which will improvement.
enable them to undertake
original works costing
the large amounts
~~they are now spending.~~
The President is requested (overleaf)
to meet the cost arising
on current ~~charges~~
~~by~~ grants by reappropriation
of the sanctioned grants - 3 - The chief steps
The charge ~~incurred~~ will be readily
~~for~~ private connections taken with the sanction
for consumption of water of the Secretary of
~~in excess of the prescribed~~ State & Board
~~quantity~~ should be for the arrangements
recovered and credited he would propose
~~to the~~ for levying the
of the P. & ~~the~~ special charge for domestic
Sanitary Board being consumption from
house connections
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Queen of a minimum quantity allowable free of charge —

reserved of the cost of supplying water supplied to private dwellings

3. It should be reported how far the work of water supply to each Colonies has progressed

Skill

for Secretary

12/4/09

To

the Presidents of the Savy Bridge

" Committee

" Inspector

" Committee B.W. Dy Bz

" Savy Master

6 copies (17 June 1910)

B Elec No. 7492

Proceedings of Government of His Highness the Maharaja of Mysore.

Read:

Correspondence ending with letter No.1229 dated the 7th April 1909 from the President of the Sanitary Board, Kolar Gold Fields, stating, with reference to Government Order No.2979-81 L.B.87-08-10 dated the 16th March 1909, that the Sanitary Board are willing to pay the actual expenses of Government estimated by them at Rs.5,000 a year, for pumping water from the Bethamangala Tank for consumption at Robertsonpet and requesting early sanction on grounds of public health as water scarcity is very much felt and the outbreak of epidemic is feared.

2. Letter No.2783 dated 7th April 1909 from the Chief Engineer of Mysore recommending that the water supply asked for may be given for the present for two hours in the morning and two hours in the evening until the Bethamangala tank is replenished.

Order thereon No. 10850-11 / B87-08-15 Dated Bangalore the ~~30th April~~ 1st May 1909

In the circumstances represented Government are pleased to authorize the supply of water to Robertsonpet as recommended and the President is requested to submit proposals for the levy of water cess.

2. It is observed that the annual recurring expenditure on this score is expected not to exceed Rs.7,000 of which a sum of Rs.200 is expected to be met from the special water cess proposed to be levied. The balance of Rs.5,000 has to be found from the General revenues of the Board whose standard of expenditure however is high, almost equalling the normal income. In such circumstances it is necessary to reduce expenditure to the necessary extent. As at present advised this seems to be now practicable only in the provision under E.I Original works which should therefore be reduced by about Rs.5,000 till the income of the Board shows considerable and permanent improvement. The President is therefore requested

therefore requested to meet the cost during the current year by reappropriation of the sanctioned

3. The Chief Engineer will be good enough (in consultation with the President of the Sanitary Board) to report the arrangements he would propose for levying the usual charge for domestic consumption from house connections in excess of a minimum quantity allowed free of charge.

Secretary to Government.

The President of the Sanitary Board, Kolar Gold Fields

" Comptroller, Mysore Government

" Chief Engineer in Mysore

" Comptroller, Public Works and Railway Branch

". Sanitary Commissioner with the Government of Mysore.